



VBSA 2012 Tournament entry and conditions

To enter any of the tournaments that are run by the VBSA you **MUST**

Be a member of the VBSA or an affiliated Association. Entries will only be accepted if they are on the official entry form (Page 2 of this document), accompanied by the entry fee and received by the closing date for entries. **ENTRIES WILL CLOSE 2 WEEKS BEFORE THE TOURNAMENT.**

- There are 2 ways to enter a VBSA run tournament.
 - By post – money order or cheque
 - By paypal – go to the VBSA website and follow the Payments link

Dress Code for VBSA run Ranking Tournaments

(a) Dark coloured dress slacks or trousers, black leather dress shoes, long sleeved shirt of the type that would be worn with a tie or bow tie. If a sleeveless vest, or a waistcoat is worn then wearing a bow tie is optional

(b) Players must present themselves in a neat and tidy manner at all times during the match.

E.g. shirt must be tucked in and bow tie, if worn, be worn correctly

(Penalty: incorrectly dressed players shall not be permitted to play).

Dress Code for VBSA Handicap Tournaments

The minimum dress standard is: Slacks, Collared shirt or Polo shirt (preferably a club shirt) and leather shoes, however under no circumstances shall any of the following articles of clothing be acceptable: thongs, jeans, cargo pants, T-shirts, shorts, cords, sandals, sandshoes, tracksuits, or sports shoes. (Penalty: incorrectly dressed players shall not be permitted to play).

Tournament Rules

- Competitors shall be in attendance at least 15 minutes before the designated starting time of his/her match. Any competitor not ready to commence play at the designated starting time shall immediately lose one frame. Any competitor not ready to commence play 15 minutes after the designated starting time shall forfeit the match.
- Losing players must referee or pay \$30. Any player breaching this condition may be fined \$50 or denied entry to further tournaments.
- All entrants must agree to abide by the Conditions of Play laid down by the VBSA. The VBSA reserve the right to accept or refuse any entry.
- All players to comply with ABSC Code of Ethics.

Tournaments Run by the VBSA in 2012

Australian Ranking Tournaments

- Victorian Snooker Championship
- Victorian Billiard Championship
- Junior Snooker Championships Under 12, 15, 18, 21
- Junior Billiard Championships Under 12, 15, 18, 21
- City of Melbourne Snooker Championship
- Australian National Snooker Championship

Handicap Tournaments (Top 16 ranked players in Victoria Excluded, entries may be refused at discretion of VBSA.

- Rob Foldvari Handicap Snooker
- George Ganim Handicap Snooker
- Gary Cullen Handicap Snooker
- Harry Andrews Handicap Snooker

All other Tournaments, held in Victoria, are run by the Clubs that hold them.



2012 VBSA Tournament Entry Form

	A Grade	B, C or D Grade	Pensioner	Junior	Prize Fund	
Australian Ranking Tournament						
Victorian Snooker Championship (Mens or Womens)	\$45	\$35	\$25	\$15	\$750	Expenses to Nat. Champs
Victorian Billiard Championship	\$45	\$35	\$25	\$15	\$750	Expenses to Nat. Champs
Australian National Snooker Championship	\$105		\$55			
Junior State Championships						
Junior Snooker Championships Under 12, 15, 18, 21	na	na	na	\$15	\$250	Expenses to Nat. Champs
Junior Billiard Championships Under 12, 15, 18, 21	na	na	na	\$15	\$250	Expenses to Nat. Champs
Please Note: Juniors must be under the age limit on 31st Dec 2012. Payment of \$15 allows players to play in all age groups they qualify for						
Handicap Tournaments						
	Adult	Pens	Jun			
Rob Foldvari Handicap Snooker	\$30	\$20	\$10	\$1,000	\$1250 entries >32	
John Mc Kay Handicap Snooker	\$30	\$20	\$10	\$1,000	\$1250 entries >32	
Gary Cullen Handicap Snooker	\$30	\$20	\$10	\$1,000	\$1250 entries >32	
George Ganim Handicap Snooker	\$30	\$20	\$10	\$1,000	\$1250 entries >32	
Handicap Final	No Entry fee – qualifiers only				\$2500	

Please Circle the Appropriate Tournament and amount

Name:		Email:	
Address:			
Contact details:	(H)	(W)	(M)
I, the above player, confirm that I am conversant with the ABSC Code of Ethics and I agree to abide by all conditions of play and any decision of the Tournament Director in relation to these Championships.			
Victorian State Titles or Handicap Tournaments only: Entrant MUST be a member of the VBSA or an affiliate.			
If you are a member of an affiliate please tell us which one?			
Name of Tournament			Amount \$
INDEMNITY: All participants enter at their own risk. Neither the Club, sponsors, nor organisers shall be liable for any loss, injury or misadventure however rising.			Signed

Please post Completed Tournament Entry with Appropriate payment by cheque or money order (no cash) made out to the VB&SA to :
 George Hoy, VBSA Treasurer, Unit 36 Excelsior Apartments, 93 -103 High St Preston, 3072